

Sirs:Being able to check the weather for Tennessee from Indiana, while driving, allowed me to avoid an ice storm last winter. I was driving to South Carolina, and was able to change my route through West Virginia and North Carolina instead, avoiding what was described as a big mess. XM radio offered a real safety advantage to me as a traveler, one that local stations would not have until I was in range, which would probably have been too late. Public safety should be a concern to the local stations too.

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